

Media Information



Columbus Division of Police

Date: 5/6/2020

Traffic Bureau / Accident Investigation Unit

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Ext:

Type of Offense/Incident: Fatal Traffic Crash

Date: 5/5/2020

Time: 10:28pm

Location of Offense/Incident: Cleveland Ave north of Northland Plaza Dr

Zone: 1

Precinct: 18

Incident Report #: 200325151

Cruiser District: 184

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Incident Summary: On 5/5/2020 at 10:28pm, Joseph Wing, of Columbus, was operating his 2009 Ford F-150 northbound on Cleveland Ave. just past Northern Plaza Dr. in the right lane. At the same time John Doe was walking eastbound across Cleveland Ave. and stepped out in front of Mr. Wing. The left front of Mr. Wing's F-150 struck Mr. Doe. The impact knocked Mr. Doe down and he came to rest in the left northbound lane of Cleveland Ave. Mr. Wing stopped and called 911. He also remained at the crash scene. Columbus Fire Medic #6 arrived at the crash scene and transported Mr. Doe to Riverside Methodist Hospital in critical condition. At 10:59 pm Mr. Doe was pronounced dead.

The Accident Investigation Unit responded to the scene and initiated an investigation, which is ongoing.

This is the City's the 18th traffic fatality for 2020.

John Doe's identity is being withheld pending next of kin notification.

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